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AMENDMENT

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the June 30, 2005 Office action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office action.

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